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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR STIMULATING ANGIOGENESIS AND
WOUND HEALING BY USE OF EXTERNAL COMPRESSION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

A two (2) month extension of time, from April 27, 2004, to and including June 27, 2004, is requested to respond to the Office Action, mailed January 27, 2004, in the above-referenced application. Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$ 210.00 to cover the fee for this extension.

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